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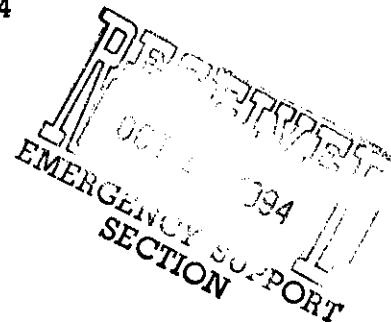
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Re: Frantz Manufacturing Company
Conservation Chemical Company of Illinois, Inc.
Site: Gary, IN
General Notice of Potential Liability

Dear Ms. Beasley:

On behalf of Frantz Manufacturing Company, we acknowledge receipt of USEPA's general notice letter dated September 28, 1994, which was received by Frantz Manufacturing Company on October 6, 1994. On October 10, 1994 we received a supplemental letter from USEPA dated October 6, 1994, and enclosing a copy of the generator ranking summary report and the waste type list regarding this site.

Frantz has insufficient information at this time to commit, as requested in your letter, to perform or finance the activities described in the general notice letter and to reimburse USEPA for its costs. However, Frantz will send a representative to the meeting scheduled for Thursday, November 10, 1994.

Further contact with Frantz regarding this matter should be directed to the undersigned at the address and telephone number shown above.

Very truly yours,

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